



National Weather Service

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Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons		Estimated Damage		Character of Storm
					Killed	Injured	Property	Crops	
<u>ARKANSAS, Northwest</u>									
Sebastian County Greenwood	06	1427CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
Franklin County Ozark	06	1508CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
Crawford County Kibler	19	2103CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
Sebastian County 5 N Bonanza	19	2115CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Franklin County 2 N Ozark	19	2130CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
<u>OKLAHOMA, Eastern</u>									
Okfuskee County 3 S Welty	06	0639CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Okmulgee County 1 N Okmulgee	06	0712CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Muskogee County Haskell	06	0735CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Wagoner County Porter	06	0747CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
Mayes County Adair	06	0930CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Pittsburg County 2 W Arpelar	06	1243CST			0	0			Hail(1.50)
Pushmataha County Tuskahoma	06	1307CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Pittsburg County 14 NE Mc Alester	06	1311CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
Pushmataha County 4 SE Clayton	06	1313CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Haskell County 5 N Enterprise	06	1328CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Le Flore County Talihina	06	1335CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Le Flore County Hodgen	06	1413CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
Le Flore County Panama	06	1422CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
Choctaw County Messer	06	1425CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
Pushmataha County 2 S Rattan	06	1425CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Le Flore County 1 S Whitesboro	06	1458CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Osage County Hominy	15	2346CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)



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Creek County								
8 W Tuskegee to 6 W Tuskegee	19	1455CST 1500CST	2	50	0	0		Tornado (F0)
A trained spotter reported an F0 tornado three miles north of Welty in Creek county. The tornado lasted approximately five minutes and traveled through rural areas causing little more than tree damage. Later tornado reports from this storm turned out to be funnel-shaped scud as the storm approached the Tulsa metro area.								
Pawnee County								
12.5 ENE Terilton	19	1526CST			0	0		Hail(0.88)
Nickel size hail was reported 8 miles east of Westport.								
Osage County								
6 SW Skiatook	19	1530CST			0	0		Hail(0.88)
Pawnee County								
6 W Pawnee	19	1550CST			0	0		Hail(0.75)
Pawnee County								
3 WNW Ralston	19	1604CST	0.2	50	0	0		Tornado (F0)
An off duty National Weather Service employee reported a brief tornado touchdown northwest of Ralston. No damage was reported.								
Osage County								
Fairfax	19	1605CST			0	0		Hail(1.25)
Pittsburg County								
3 W Canadian	19	1620CST			0	0		Hail(1.00)
Osage County								
5 N Pawhuska	19	1640CST			0	0		Hail(1.25)
Osage County								
6.5 NE Okesa to 7.2 SE Bowring	19	1657CST 1705CST	5	200	0	0	15K	Tornado (F1)
A F1 tornado touched down 8 miles west southwest of Dewey or 6.5 miles northeast of Okesa and traveled 5 miles east northeast before entering Washington county 5 miles northwest of Dewey or 7.2 miles southeast of Bowring. The tornado produced a 200 yard wide damage swath along its path. The damage was to trees and power lines.								
Washington County								
5 NW Dewey to 6.8 ENE Copan	19	1705CST 1726CST	12	440	0	3	1.7M	Tornado (F2)
A tornado entered Washington county 5 miles northwest of Dewey and passed between Dewey and Copan before entering Nowata county 1 mile north of Wann or 6.8 miles east northeast of Copan. The tornado produced F2 damage and a half mile wide damage path at its peak. 41 homes, two businesses and 40 barns and sheds were damaged. 16 of the homes were severely damaged including two mobile homes which were completely destroyed. Three people were treated at an emergency room of a hospital in Bartlesville due to injuries received during the tornado. Two of those people were inhabitants of one of the mobile homes that was destroyed.								
Nowata County								
1 N Wann to 7 WSW South Coffeyvill	19	1726CST 1730CST	3	200	0	0	150K	Tornado (F1)
A F1 tornado entered Nowata county from Washington county one mile north of Wann. The tornado traveled east northeast three miles producing damage to barns, sheds, and power poles and power lines before lifting 8 miles west southwest of South Coffeyville. The electrical service was interrupted for up to 8 hours in the northwest part of Nowata county and adjacent parts of Washington county.								



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Pittsburg County									
10 E Scipio	19	1801CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Pittsburg County									
Indianola	19	1807CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Pittsburg County									
3 E Crowder to 4 E Crowder	19	1825CST 1827CST	1	50	0	0	50K		Tornado (F0)

A brief tornado occurred in rural areas to the east of Crowder. A homestead received substantial damage from this tornado. Three sheds, including a 100 foot cattle shed were destroyed. Shingles were blown off a house and a tin roof was blown off a barn. A series of supercells crossed southeast Oklahoma on this afternoon. Numerous other tornado reports were received during the event, but further investigation led to the conclusion that most of these reports were funnel-shaped scud

Pittsburg County									
3 N Quinton	19	1842CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Haskell County									
Whitefield	19	1903CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Haskell County									
1 E Kinta	19	1911CST	0.2	50	0	0			Tornado (F0)

An amateur radio operator reported a tornado one mile east of Kinta. No damage was reported.

Haskell County									
Tamaha	19	1928CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Haskell County									
Stigler	19	2008CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Le Flore County									
2 N Cowlington	19	2023CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Sequoyah County									
Moffett	19	2040CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Sequoyah County									
4 S Roland	19	2245CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Okfuskee County									
2 W Okemah	23	2055CST			0	0	10K		Lightning

Lightning struck the roof of a home west of Okemah. The lightning made a hole in the roof and then traveled through the electrical system of the house where it exited an outlet and started a bed on fire. The fire department was immediately called and the fire did not spread beyond the bedroom.

Tulsa County									
Tulsa	23	2105CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)

Penny size hail was reported near the intersection of Yale and Admiral.

Mcintosh County									
Checotah	23	2210CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Osage County									
15 ENE Pawhuska	24	1525CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Washington County									
Copan	24	1537CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Osage County									
2 NW Hulah	28	1817CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)